



Principal Weekly Message –March 20, 2020

Hello Otter families, this is Tina Zarzecki – principal at Lake Myra Elementary School. This message is also posted on our website – just follow the principal’s message link on the front page under PARENTS.

During our time away, we hope you are all staying safe and well. We encourage you to check the WCPSS website for daily updates. If you believe you or an immediate family member may have been exposed to COVID-19 (Coronavirus) call your local health department. In Wake County, you can call 919-856-7044.

I wanted to thank the PTA, Garman Homes, and all the amazing families in Wendell Falls who donated food items for our families. It was all greatly received. Your kindness and generosity are so appreciated.

WCPSS will be sending information directly to all families today with resources to keep your child engaged in learning. These are all optional learning experiences for your child. Teachers will not assign or grade any work during this first two-week closure. If we are out of school past March 30, WCPSS will provide more guidance.

In addition to the resources WCPSS will be sharing today, you and your child(ren) may begin to hear from teachers regarding supplemental resources to work on at home. These are not intended to be required work for grading or review, but something to keep your child engaged academically until we return to school.

The safety and well-being of our students is number one. We realize this can be an unsettling time period, especially when there are more questions than answers. You are encouraged to dialogue with your children. Allow him or her to express their concerns and ask questions. Know that we are thinking of you all and will do all we can to assist you in the interim. Thank you for your grace during this difficult time.

Ms. Bethel and I can not see Dojo responses unless we happen to go into every classroom. We ask that you do not reply to a Dojo messages from us. If you have an immediate need please contact me directly at tzarzecki@wcpss.net. Take good care Otters.

Have a great weekend.

Sincerely,

Tina Zarzecki